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98-170 and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

My mother does not have that kind of money to spend, she can barely afford the service as is. Not everyone is rich and can afford wireless service. If prices keep going up on everything all the time, then the minimum wage will go up and some business owners will have to pay their employees more money. Resulting in not enough money to pay empolyess, then layoffs then going out of business. I see this counrty going into another depression in the near future.....So please keep the fees as they are, don't raise them anymore.....

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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